

# Howells' List

## Barristers

### Barrister Profile

### Shaun Ryan

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### BAR PRACTICE

Shaun commenced his articles with Kenyons Lawyers in 1999. He quickly established himself within the firm and in 2003 he became a Partner with the firm overseeing their Commercial Litigation department. He was believed to be one of the youngest Partners in a Melbourne Firm at the time, aged 27yrs.

In 2003 Shaun also was appointed to the AFL Field Umpires Senior List.

After 2 yrs of juggling private practice and AFL Football Shaun decided to join the Victorian Bar in May 2005. He read with Steven Marantelli. His Senior Mentor was John Noonan SC.

Since that time Shaun has developed a busy practice generally in commercial litigation and more recently Domestic Building Disputes. Shaun appears regularly in the Magistrates' Court, County Court, Supreme Court and VCAT. He has appeared as Counsel in a number of Supreme Court Appeals from decisions made in the Magistrates' Court.

Shaun's last AFL game was the 2011 Grand Final. He umpired 215 AFL Games and was fortunate enough to officiate in 25 finals which included 5 consecutive Grand Finals (2008,09,10 (draw) and 10(replay), and 2011.) He retired to devote more time to his career as a Barrister.

Since retiring from football Shaun has been involved in a number of trials. He has developed a specialist niche for Insurance Indemnity disputes. He practices in all areas of commercial litigation. In the last 2 years Shaun has appeared regularly at VCAT in the Domestic Building List acting for both Builders and Owners.

In 2013, Shaun was appointed a member of the Racing Victorian Appeals and Disciplinary Board.

In 2014, Shaun was appointed a member of the AFL Appeals Board.